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SUBJ: THAI REACTION TO INDIAN NUCLEAR TEST

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1. REFERENCES ARE FBIS TRANSMISSION OF TWO ITEMS FROM THE LOCAL ENGLISH LANGUAGE PRESS DEALING WITH THE INDIAN NUCLEAR TEST. THE FIRST IS AN ACCOUNT OF AN INTERVIEW WITH FORMER FOREIGN MINISTER THANAT KHOMAN AND PRESENT FOREIGN MINISTER CHARUNPHAN ITSARANGKUN NA AYUTTHAYA. THANAT PROFESSES A BELIEF IN INDIA'S PEACEFUL INTENTIONS IN CONDUCTING TESTS. CHARUNPHAN COMMENTS THAT, WHILE THAILAND IS OPPOSED TO SUCH TESTS IN PRINCIPLE, HE WOULD POSE NO OBJECTION SINCE HE FELT INDIA'S PURPOSE WAS DEFENSIVE, NOT OFFENSIVE. REF B IS A "BANGKOK POST" EDITORIAL OF JUNE 7 POINTING OUT THE INCONGRUITY THAT A COUNTRY UNABLE TO CONTROL A SMALLPOX EPIDEMIC IS TESTING NUCLEAR DEVICES.

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